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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Serial No. : 10/680,369 : Confirmation No. 4657  
Applicant : Pavel V. Korchagin  
Filed : October 7, 2003  
TC/A.U. : 3654  
Examiner : Alvin C. Chin Shue  
  
Our Docket No. : 20030252.ORI  
Customer No. : 23595

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Petition to Correct Inventorship, a Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition signed by the inventors (2 pp.), a Statement of Ilya G. Gordeev, a Statement of Ekaterina A. Vinogradova and a Certificate of Mailing, in the above-identified patent application.

Also enclosed please find a check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the fee to correct inventorship.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees listed in 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1265.

Yours very truly,

NIKOLAI & MERSEREAU, P.A.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Steven E. Kahm".

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**PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP**

Commissioner of Patents  
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Alexandra, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions to correct the inventorship to name the correct inventors by removing Ilya G. Gordeev and Ekaterina A. Vinogradova as co-inventors.

Attached to this Petition is:

1. A Statement from Ilya G. Gordeev, who is being removed as an inventor, that the inventorship error occurred without deceptive intent on his part;
2. A Statement from Ekaterina A. Vinogradova, who is being removed as an inventor, that the inventorship error occurred without deceptive intent on her part;
3. The consent of Pavel V. Korchagin, Marina E. Korchagina, Igor I. Goldstein and Andre G. Tirskiy, the assignees of the entire right, title and interest in and to U.S. Patent Applicant No. 10/680,369.

It is respectfully requested that the foregoing Petition be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

NIKOLAI & MERSEREAU, P.A.

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**DECLARATION, POWER OF ATTORNEY, AND PETITION**

As below named inventors, we hereby declare that: our residences, post office addresses and citizenships are as stated below next to our names; that we hereby declare that we verily believe we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled "HIGH-RISE FIRE-FIGHTING, RESCUE AND CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT", Serial No. 10/680,369, filed on October 7, 2003.

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment(s) referred to in the Oath or Declaration.

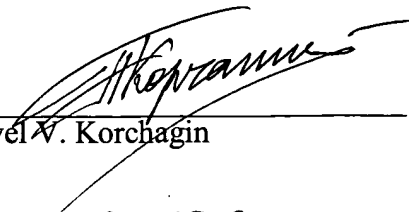
We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

We hereby appoint NIKOLAI & MERSEREAU, P.A., (Customer Number 23595), a professional association, consisting of the following attorneys/agents and the following attorneys/agents individually: Thomas J. Nikolai, Registration No. 19,283; Charles G. Mersereau, Registration No. 26,205; and Steven E. Kahm, Registration No. 30,860, of 820 International Centre, 900 Second Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-3813; Telephone No. (612) 339-7461, our attorneys/agents with full power of substitution and revocation to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

Please direct all phone calls and correspondence to: Steven E. Kahm, Esq., at NIKOLAI & MERSEREAU, P.A., 820 International Centre, 900 Second Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-3813; Telephone: (612) 339-7461.

We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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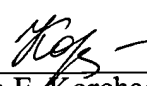
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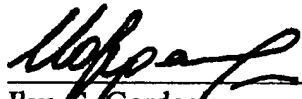
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**STATEMENT OF ILYA G. GORDEEV**

I, Ilya G. Gordeev, hereby state that I have reviewed the claims of U.S. Patent Application No. 10/680,369 and hereby declare that I made no contributions to the invention defined thereby.

The inventorship error occurred without any deceptive intent on my part.

Dated: 04/10, 2006

  
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**STATEMENT OF EKATERINA A. VINOGRADOVA**

I, Ekaterina A. Vinogradova, hereby state that I have reviewed the claims of U.S. Patent Application No. 10/680,369 and hereby declare that I made no contributions to the invention defined thereby.

The inventorship error occurred without any deceptive intent on my part.

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CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE

Pavel V. Korchagin, Marina E. Korchagina, Igor I. Goldstein and Andre G. Tirskey, the assignees of the entire right, title and interest in and to U.S. Patent Application No. 10/680,369, hereby consent to the change in inventorship by removing Ilya G. Gordeev and Ekaterina A. Vinogradova from the list of inventors.

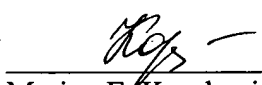
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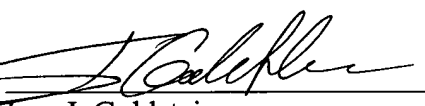
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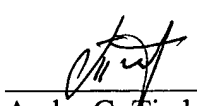
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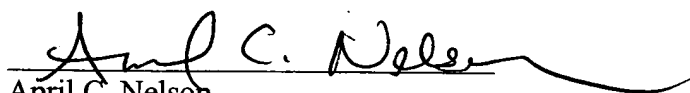
  
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## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that the foregoing Petition to Correct Inventorship, a Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition signed by the inventors (2 pp.), a Statement of Ilya G. Gordeev, a Statement of Ekaterina A. Vinogradova, a check in the amount of \$130.00, a transmittal letter and return receipt postcard, in application Serial No. 10/680,369, filed on October 7, 2003, of Pavel V. Korchagin, entitled "HIGH-RISE FIRE-FIGHTING RESCUE AND CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT" is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. BOX 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, postage prepaid, on December 19, 2006.

Date of Signature: December 19, 2006.

  
April C. Nelson  
On Behalf of Steven E. Kahm  
Attorney for Applicant(s)

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